

## J. Endocrine, Nutritional, and Metabolic Diseases and Disorders

- (1) ~~Treated with~~ Major surgical procedures ~~285-288~~ 285-293
  - (2) Diabetes, Age ~~→ 35~~ all ages 294, 295
  - (3) Diabetes, Age 0-35  
[Reserved for future use] 295
  - (4) Nutritional and metabolic disorders, age 0-17 ~~296-299~~ 298
  - (5) ~~{Reserved for future use}~~  
Other endocrine, nutritional, and metabolic conditions 296, 297, 299, 300, 301
  - (6) ~~{Other endocrine, nutritional, and metabolic conditions}~~ ~~289-293, 300, 301~~ Codes in DRG 292 except 52.80-52.86
- [Reserved for future use]

## K. Kidney and Urinary Tract Conditions

- (1) Renal failure and renal system procedures ~~303, 304, 305~~ 303-305, 315, 316
- (2) ~~Treated with~~ Other surgical procedure procedures ~~306-315~~ 306-314
- (3) [Reserved for future use]
- (4) [Reserved for future use]
- (5) Other kidney and urinary tract conditions 317-333
- (6) [Reserved for future use]
- ~~(7) [Reserved for future use]~~
- ~~(8) [Reserved for future use]~~

## L. Male Reproductive System Conditions 334-352

## M. Female Reproductive System Conditions

- (1) ~~{Reserved for future use}~~  
Major female reproductive system OR procedures 353, 354, 360, 365
- (2) ~~{Reserved for future use}~~  
Other female reproductive system OR procedures 355-359, 361-364
- (3) Female reproductive system malignancy and infection 366, 367, 368
- (4) Menstrual and other female reproductive system disorders 369
- (5) ~~{Other Female Reproductive System Conditions}~~ ~~353-360, 365-367~~  
[Reserved for future use]

- (6) ~~Treated with Tubal Interruption,  
D&C, Conization, or Radio~~ 361-364  
Implant [Reserved for future use]

N. Pregnancy Related Conditions

- (1) [Reserved for future use]
- (2) [Reserved for future use]
- (3) Postpartum and post abortion  
conditions treated without  
surgical procedure 376
- (4) Postpartum and post abortion  
conditions treated with  
surgical procedure 377
- (5) Ectopic pregnancy 378
- (6) Threatened abortion 379
- (7) Abortion without D & C 380
- (8) Abortion with D & C,  
aspiration curettage or  
hysterotomy 381
- (9) False labor 382
- (10) Other antepartum conditions 383, 384

O. [Reserved for future use ]

P. Blood and Immunity Disorders

- (1) ~~Treated with Surgical procedure~~  
of the blood and blood  
forming organs 392-394
- (2) ~~[Reserved for future use]~~  
Red blood cell and other  
disorders without CC 395, 396, 399
- (3) ~~Red blood cell disorders,~~  
~~Age → 17~~ 395  
[Reserved for future use]
- (4) ~~Red blood cell disorders,~~  
~~Age 0-17~~ 396  
[Reserved for future use]
- (5) Reticuloendothelial and immunity  
with CC and coagulation  
disorders 397, 398
- (6) ~~Reticuloendothelial and immunity~~  
~~disorders~~ 398, 399  
[Reserved for future use]

Q. Myeloproliferative Diseases and Disorders, Poorly  
Differentiated Malignancy and other Neoplasms

- (1) [Reserved for future use]
- (2) [Reserved for future use]

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- (3) [Reserved for future use]
- (4) Treated with radiotherapy or chemotherapy 409, 410, 492
- (5) [Reserved for future use]
- (6) Other treatments for myeloproliferative diseases and disorders 400-408, 411-414, 473

## R. Infections and Parasitic Diseases

- (1) Treated with surgical procedure 415
- (2) Viral and other infection, parasitic diseases, and fever of unknown origin 418-423
- (3) Septicemia age > 17 416
- (4) Septicemia age 0-17 417
- (5) [Reserved for future use]
- (6) [Reserved for future use]
- (7) [Reserved for future use]

## S. Mental Diseases and Disorders

- (1) Treated with surgical procedure (ages 0+) 424
- (2) (Ages 0-17) 425, 427-429, 432
- (3) (Ages > 17) 425, 427-429, 432

## T. Substance Use and Substance Induced

Organic Mental Disorder 434, ~~435~~ 521, 523DRG 521 excludes  
procedures94.61, 94.63,  
94.64, 94.66,  
94.67, 94.69

## U. [Reserved for future use]

## V. Injuries, Poisonings, and Toxic Effects of Drugs

- (1) Treated with surgical procedure 439-443
- (2) [Reserved for future use]
- (3) Traumatic injury 444-446
- (4) [Reserved for future use]
- (5) Poisoning and toxic effects of drugs age > 17 with CC and allergic reactions 447-449
- (6) Poisoning and toxic effects of drugs age > 17 without CC 450
- (7) Poisoning and toxic effects of drugs age 0-17 451
- (8) Other injuries, poisoning,

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and toxic effects

452-455

W. Burns

- (1) [Reserved for future use]
- (2) [Reserved for future use]
- (3) Full thickness with skin graft and extensive third degree burns 504-507, 508
- (4) Burns without skin graft 508 509-511

X. Factors Influencing Health Status 461-467

Y. ~~Bronchitis and Asthma~~ 098  
[Reserved for future use]

Z. [Reserved for future use]

AA. ~~Esophagitis, Gastroenteritis,~~  
~~Miscellaneous Digestive Disorders~~ 184  
[Reserved for future use]

BB. [Reserved for future use]

CC. Cesarean Sections

- (1) With complicating diagnosis 370
- (2) Without complicating diagnosis 371

DD. Vaginal Delivery

- (1) [Reserved for future use]
- (2) Without complicating diagnosis or OR procedures 373
- (3) With OR procedure 374, 375
- (4) With complicating diagnosis 372

EE. [Reserved for future use]

FF. Depressive ~~Neurosis~~ Neuroses,  
all ages 426  
~~(1) (Age 0-17)~~ 426  
~~(2) (Age > 17)~~ 426

GG. ~~Psychosis~~ Psychoses

- (1) (Ages 0-17) 430
- (2) (Ages > 17) 430

HH. Childhood Mental Disorders 431

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II. Operating Room Procedure Unrelated  
to Principal Diagnosis

- (1) ~~{Reserved for future use}~~  
     Extensive OR 468  
 (2) Nonextensive OR 476, 477  
 (3) ~~Extensive (Age 0-17)~~ 468  
 (4) ~~Extensive (Age 17)~~ 468

## JJ. [Reserved for future use]

## KK. Extreme Immaturity

- (1) Weight < 1500 grams 386 76501-76505  
     387 76500  
 (2) [Reserved for future use]  
 (3) [Reserved for future use]  
 (4) [Reserved for future use]  
 (5) Neonate respiratory distress syndrome 386 Codes in 386 except  
     76501-76505

## LL. Prematurity with Major Problems

- (1) Weight < 1250 Grams 387 76511-76514  
 (2) Weight 1250 to 1749 Grams 387 76506, 76510, 76515,  
     76516  
 (3) Weight > 1749 Grams 387 Codes in DRG 387  
     except 76500, 76506,  
     76510-76516

## MM. Prematurity without Major Problems 388

## NN. Full Term Neonates

- (1) With major problems 389  
 (2) With other problems and  
     neonates, died on day of  
     birth 385, 390  
     DRG 385 includes  
     neonates who expire at  
     the birth hospital,  
     and discharge date is  
     the same as the birth  
     date

## OO. Multiple Significant Trauma 484-487

## PP. [Reserved for future use]

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QQ. ~~Normal Newborns and Neonates~~

~~Who Died on the Day of Birth~~

~~391, 385~~

~~DRG 385 includes  
neonates who expire at  
the birth hospital,  
and discharge date is  
the same as the birth  
date~~

RR. - TT. [Reserved for future use]

UU. Organ Transplants and Tracheostomy

(1) ~~[Reserved for future use]~~

Heart, kidney, liver, bone  
marrow, lung, pancreas and  
bowel transplants, and  
tracheostomy except for face,  
neck, and mouth diagnosis

103, 302, 480,  
481, 483, 495,  
512, 513

Bowel transplant  
includes any DRG with  
procedure 46.97

(2) ~~Kidney, pancreas, and bone  
marrow~~

~~302, 481, 191,  
292~~

~~DRG 191, 292 includes  
52.80-52.86 only~~

(3) ~~Heart, lung, liver, bowel  
transplants~~

~~103, 480, 495~~

~~Bowel transplant  
includes any DRG with  
procedure 46.99 and  
Revenue Code 811 or  
812 only~~

~~[Reserved for future use]~~

VV. Reserved for future use

WW. Human Immunodeficiency Virus 488-490

C. **Diagnostic categories relating to a rehabilitation hospital or a rehabilitation distinct part.** The following diagnostic categories are for services provided within a rehabilitation hospital or a rehabilitation distinct part, regardless of program eligibility:

DIAGNOSTIC CATEGORIES	DRG NUMBERS WITHIN DIAGNOSTIC CATEGORIES	INTERNATIONAL CLASSIFICATION OF DISEASES, 9th Ed. CLINICAL MODIFICATIONS
A. Nervous System Diseases and Disorders	001-035	except codes in XX
B.-G. [Reserved for future use]		

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H. Diseases and Disorders of the  
Musculoskeletal System and  
Connective Tissues

209-213, 216-  
220, 223-256,  
471, 491, 496-  
503, 519, 520 except codes in XX

I.-QQ. [Reserved for future use]

RR. Mental Diseases and Disorders/  
Substance Use and Substance

Induced Organic Mental Disorders 424-432, except codes in XX  
~~434, 435~~ DRG 521 excludes  
521, 523 procedures 94.61,  
94.63, 94.64, 94.66,  
94.67, 94.69

SS. Multiple Significant Trauma/  
Unrelated OR Procedures

468, 476, 477,  
484-487 Except codes in XX

TT. Other Conditions Requiring  
Rehabilitation Services

036-208  
257-423,  
439-455,  
461-467,  
472, 473, 475,  
478-483,  
488-490,  
492-495, ~~504-511~~  
504-518 Except codes in XX

UU.-WW. [Reserved for future use]

XX. Quadriplegia and Quadriparesis

Secondary to Spinal Cord Injury All DRGs

Includes all DRGs with  
ICD-9 diagnoses codes:  
344.00-344.04 or  
344.09 in  
combination with 907.2

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**D. Diagnostic categories for neonatal transfers.** The following diagnostic categories are for services provided to neonatal transfers at receiving hospitals with neonatal intensive care units, regardless of program eligibility:

DIAGNOSTIC CATEGORIES	DRG NUMBERS WITHIN DIAGNOSTIC CATEGORIES	INTERNATIONAL CLASSIFICATION OF DISEASES, 9th Ed. CLINICAL MODIFICATIONS
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A. - JJ. [Reserved for future use]

**KK. Extreme Immaturity and Tracheostomy**

(1) Weight < 750 Grams and tracheostomy	386, 482, 483	76501, 76502
(2) Weight 750 to 999 Grams	386	76503
(3) Weight 1000 to 1499 Grams	386, 387	76504, 76505, 76500
(4) [Reserved for future use]		
(5) Neonate Respiratory Distress Syndrome	386	Codes for DRG 386 except 76501 to 76505

**LL. Prematurity with Major Problems**

(1) Weight < 1250 Grams	387	76511-76514
(2) Weight 1250 to 1749 Grams	387	76506, 76510, 76515, 76516
(3) Weight 1250 to 1749 Grams	387	Codes <del>for</del> <u>in</u> DRG 387 except 76500, 76506, 76510-76516

**MM. Prematurity without Major Problems**

Weight > 1749 Grams	388
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**NN. Full Term Neonates**

(1) With major problems (age 0)	389
(2) With other problems	390

OO. - WW. [Reserved for future use]

**E. Additional DRG requirements.**

1. Version 47 19 of the Medicare grouper and DRG assignment to the diagnostic category must be used uniformly for all determinations of rates and payments.

2. The discharge status will be changed to "discharge to home" for DRG 433.

3. A diagnosis with the prefix "v57" will be excluded when grouping under item C..

4. Neonates transferred into a neonatal intensive care unit with a DRG assignment of DRG 482 or DRG 483, the ICF-9 CM procedure codes 30.3, 30.4, 31.11, 31.21 and 31.29 will be excluded when grouping under



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items A and B age less than one year, will be grouped under item D.

5. The discharge status will be changed to "discharge to home" for all neonates in DRG 385, except for neonates that expire at the birth hospital and the discharge date is the same as the date of birth.

6. For payment of admissions that result from the unavailability of a home health nurse, and there is no acute episode of illness, and when physician orders from home remain in effect, the principal diagnosis will be identified as V58.89, Other Specified ~~Procedures and Aftercare~~ or 63.1, Medical Services in Home not Available.

7. ~~Payment for bowel transplants and pancreas transplants will be made only for admissions that result in the recipient receiving a transplant during that admission.~~ For neonates transferred into a neonatal intensive care unit within seven days of birth, with a principal diagnosis of congenital anomaly (ICD-9-CM code 740-759) and a secondary diagnosis of conditions originating in the perinatal period (ICD-9-CM code 760-779), the principal diagnosis and the first sequenced secondary diagnosis in the range 760-779 will be interchanged when grouping under item D.

8. For patients in DRG 386-390 and the age is greater than zero, the principal diagnosis from ICD-9-CM Chapter 15, Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (diagnoses codes 760-779), will be excluded when grouping under items A and B.

9. For payment under DRG 521, alcohol/drug abuse or dependence with complications or comorbidities, payment is not made for patients engaged in alcohol and/or drug rehabilitation.

**Hospital cost index or HCI.** "Hospital cost index" or "HCI" means the factor annually multiplied by the allowable base year operating cost to adjust for cost changes.

**Inpatient hospital costs.** "Inpatient hospital costs" means a hospital's base year inpatient hospital service costs determined allowable under the cost finding methods of Medicare but not to include the Medical Assistance hospital surcharge and without regard to adjustments in payments imposed by Medicare.

**Inpatient hospital service.** "Inpatient hospital service" means a service provided by or under the supervision of a physician after a recipient's admission to a hospital and furnished in the hospital, including outpatient services provided by the same hospital that directly precede the admission.

**Local trade area hospital.** "Local trade area hospital" means a MSA hospital with 20 or more Medical Assistance (including General Assistance Medical Care, a State-funded program) admissions in the base year that is located in a state other than Minnesota, but in a county of the other state in which the county is contiguous to Minnesota.

**Long-term care hospital.** "Long-term care hospital" means a Minnesota hospital or a metropolitan statistical area hospital located outside Minnesota in a county contiguous to Minnesota that meets the requirements under Code of Federal Regulations, title 42, part 412, section 23(e).

**Metropolitan statistical area hospital or MSA hospital.** "Metropolitan statistical area hospital" or "MSA hospital" means a hospital located in a metropolitan statistical area as determined by Medicare for the October 1 prior to the most current rebased rate year.

**Non-metropolitan statistical area hospital or non-MSA hospital.** "Non-metropolitan statistical area hospital" or "non-MSA hospital" means a Minnesota hospital not located in a metropolitan statistical area as determined by Medicare for the October 1 prior to the most current rebased rate year.

**Operating costs.** "Operating costs" means inpatient hospital costs excluding property costs.

**Out-of-area hospital.** "Out-of-area hospital" means a hospital that is located in a state other than Minnesota excluding MSA hospitals located in a county of the other state in which the county is contiguous to Minnesota.

**Property costs.** "Property costs" means inpatient hospital costs not subject to the hospital cost index, including depreciation, interest, rents and leases, property taxes, and property insurance.

**Rate year.** "Rate year" means a calendar year from January 1 through December 31.

**Rehabilitation distinct part.** "Rehabilitation distinct part" means inpatient hospital services that are provided by a hospital in a unit designated by Medicare as a rehabilitation distinct part.

**Relative value.** "Relative value" means the mean operating cost within a diagnostic category divided by the mean operating cost in all diagnostic categories within a program at diagnostic category A or B or specialty group C or D. The relative value is calculated from the total allowable operating costs of all admissions. This includes the full, untruncated costs of all exceptionally high cost or long stay admissions. Due to this inclusion of all costs, the relative value is composed of two parts. The basic unit of the relative value adjusts for the cost of an average admission within the given diagnostic category. The additional component of the relative value consists of an adjustment to compensate for the costs of exceptionally high cost admissions occurring within the diagnostic category. This factor, when applied to the base rate and the day outlier rate, cause additional payment adjustments to be made to compensate for cost outliers typically found within the diagnostic category. Since all cost is included, the cost outlier threshold is the average cost and is set to pay a cost outlier adjustment for all admissions with a cost that is above the average. The amount of payment adjustment to the operating rate increases as the cost of an admission increases above the average cost.

**Seven-county metropolitan area hospital.** "Seven-county metropolitan area hospital" means a Minnesota hospital located in one of the following counties: Anoka, Carver, Dakota, Hennepin, Ramsey, Scott, or Washington.

**Transfer.** "Transfer" means the movement of a recipient after admission from one hospital directly to another hospital with a different provider number or to or from a rehabilitation distinct part.

**Trim point.** "Trim point" means that number of inpatient days beyond which an admission is a day outlier.

### SECTION 3.0 ESTABLISHMENT OF BASE YEARS

A. The base year for the 1993 rate year shall be each Minnesota and local trade area hospital's most recent Medicare cost reporting period ending prior to September 1, 1988. If that cost reporting period is less than 12 months, it must be supplemented by information from the prior cost reporting period so that the base year is 12 months except for hospitals that closed during the base year.

B. The base year data will be moved forward three years beginning with the 1995 rate year. The base year data will be moved forward every two years after 1995, except for 1997, or every one year if notice is provided at least six months prior to the rate year by the Department. For long-term care hospitals that open after April 1, 1995, the base year is the year for which the hospital first filed a Medicare cost report. That base year will remain until it falls within the same period as other hospitals.

### SECTION 4.0 DETERMINATION OF RELATIVE VALUES OF THE DIAGNOSTIC CATEGORIES

**4.01 Determination of relative values.** The Department determines the relative values of the diagnostic categories as follows:

A. Select Medical Assistance claims for Minnesota and local trade area hospitals with admission dates from each hospital's base year.

B. Exclude the claims and charges in subitems (1) to (7):

(1) Medicare crossover claims;

(2) claims paid on a transfer rate per day according to Section 10.03;

(3) inpatient hospital services for which Medical Assistance payment was not made;

(4) inpatient hospital claims paid to a long-term care hospital;

(5) inpatient hospital services not covered by the Medical Assistance program on October 1 prior to a rebased rate year;

(6) inpatient hospital charges for noncovered days calculated as the ratio of noncovered days to total days multiplied by charges; and

(7) inpatient hospital services paid under Section 15.11.

C. Combine claims into the admission that generated the claim according to readmissions at Section 12.2.

D. Determine operating costs for each hospital admission using each hospital's base year data according to subitems (1) to (5).

(1) Determine the operating cost of accommodation services by multiplying the number of accommodation service inpatient days by that accommodation service operating cost per diem and add the products of all accommodation services.

(2) Determine the operating cost of each ancillary service by multiplying the ancillary charges by that ancillary operating cost-to-charge ratio and add the products of all ancillary services. An ancillary operating cost-to-charge ratio will be adjusted for certified registered nurse anesthetist costs and charges if the hospital determines that certified registered nurse anesthetist services will be paid separately.

(3) Determine the operating cost of services rendered by interns and residents not in an approved teaching program by multiplying the number of accommodation service inpatient days in subitem (1) by that teaching program accommodation service per diem and add the products of all teaching program accommodation services.

(4) Add subitems (1) to (3).

(5) Multiply the result of subitem (4) by the hospital cost index at Section 7.0 that corresponds to the hospital's fiscal year end.

E. Assign each admission and operating cost identified in item D, subitem (5), to the appropriate program or specialty group and diagnostic category.

F. Determine the mean cost per admission within each program and the rehabilitation distinct part specialty group for the program and rehabilitation distinct part specialty group admissions identified in item E by dividing the sum of the operating costs by the total number of admissions.

G. Determine the mean cost per admission within each program and rehabilitation distinct part specialty group diagnostic category identified in item E by dividing the sum of the operating costs in each diagnostic category by the total number of admissions in each diagnostic category.

H. Determine the relative value for each diagnostic category by dividing item G by the corresponding result of item F within each program and the rehabilitation distinct part specialty group and round the quotient to five decimal places.

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I. Determine the mean length of stay within each program and rehabilitation distinct part diagnostic category identified in item E by dividing the total number of inpatient service days in each diagnostic category by the total number of admissions in that diagnostic category and round the quotient to two decimal places.

J. Determine the day outlier trim point for each program and rehabilitation distinct part diagnostic category and round to whole days.

#### SECTION 5.0 DETERMINATION OF ADJUSTED BASE YEAR OPERATING COST PER ADMISSION AND PER DAY OUTLIER

**5.01 Adjusted base year operating cost per admission for Minnesota and local trade area hospitals.** The Department determines the adjusted base year operating cost per admission by program and the rehabilitation distinct part speciality group for each hospital according to items A to D.

A. Determine and classify the operating cost for each admission according to Section 4.01, items A to E.

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